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TAGS : PFOR,US, BA

SUBJECT : AMIR OF BAHRAIN CONGRATULATIONS TO PRESIDENT FORD

1. WE HAVE RECEIVED FROM FOREIGN MINISTRY A NOTE CONTAINING TEXT OF MESSAGE OF CONGRATULATIONS WHICH AMIR OF BAHRAIN SENT DIRECTLY TO PRESIDENT FORD AUG. 12, PRESUMABLY FROM LONDON.

2. IN CASE MESSAGE NOT RECEIVED TEXT AS SUPPLIED TO US BY FOREIGN MINISTRY QUOTED BELOW:

"H.E. PRESIDENT:

ON THIS THE OCCASION OF YOUR BECOMING THE THIRTY-EIGHTH PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA MAY I EXTEND TO YOU MY WARMEST WISHES AND MOST SINCERE CONGRATULATIONS STOP I HOPE THAT IN THIS HIGH OFFICE YOU WILL BE ABLE TO LEAD YOUR COUNTRY TO THE EXTENSION OF PEACE ABROAD AND TO PROSPERITY AND HARMONY AT HOME AND IN YOUR TASK YOU WILL HAVE WITH YOU THE BEST WISHES OF MYSELF AND THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF BAHRAIN STOP PLEASE ACCEPT MR PRESIDENT THE ASSURANCES OF MY HIGHEST CONSIDERATION STOP.

ISA BIN SULMAN AL-KHALIFA

AMIR OF OBE STATE OF BAHRAIN".

3. REQUEST GUIDANCE RE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OR RESPONSE.

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IF RESPONSE NOT YET SENT AND INTENT IS TO HAVE

INDIVIDUALIZED RATHER THAN STANDARD RESPONSE, THIS
WOULD BE OPPORTUNE TIME TO ACKNOWLEDGE, IN LIGHT OF
EVOLVING GOB DECISION TO RETAIN U.S. NAVY HERE, AMIR
OF BAHRAIN'S CONSISTENT FRIENDSHIP TOWARD U.S. AND
BAHRAINIS TRADITION OF HOSPITALITY TOWARD AMERICANS.

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